GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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UPLIFTMENT OF THE SC/ST WEAVERS
PUNNULAL MOHALE

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have formulated any scheme for the upliftment of the weavers at the level of Gram Panchayat in backward rural areas of Madhya pradesh where there are majority of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES

(SHRI GINGEE N.RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) & (b) For the upliftment of handloom weavers, including rural SC/ST weavers, various handloom Development Schemes are being implemented in the State of Madhya pradesh. The Schemes include Handloom Development Centers/Quality Dyeing Unit, Project Package, Integrated Handloom Village Development, Expo, Distt. Level Fairs and Exhibitions, Workshed cum Housing, insurance, heal package etc.